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Price List of Gladioli For Spring Delivery 1928

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#### TERMS

Cash with order. One dozen at the price of ten; one hundred for seven times the dozen price, if I have them; six at the rate of a dozen; fifty at the rate of one hundred; one pint of bulblets at the rate of a quart. Prices are net, but I will give liberal count and extras with each order, the larger the order the more extras.

All orders subject to prior sale. Post paid anywhere in the United States. I will not send until all danger of freezing is past.

### CARE OF GLADIOLUS

No single item less than ten cents, and no orders will be filled that amount to less than one dollar, as these can only be filled at a loss.

I exert the greatest care in keeping the stock pure, but cannot assume any responsibility for crops other than to replace any bulb not found true to name or refund the money received for the same.

#### SIZES OF BULBS

I only list three sizes. The large are one inch and up, the medium are under one inch to one-half inch, and the small one-half inch and down.

Open the packages as soon as you receive them so that they may have air, and store in a cool place until planting time. Any good garden soil will grow Glads if well tended. Plant in full sunshine away from trees or building. Plant bulblets as soon as ground can be made in fine shape. Sow bulblets like peas and cover about one and one-half inches deep. Plant bulbs later, any time from May 1st to June 10th in Central states. Plant small bulbs two inches deep; large bulbs three to four inches deep. Give them a good soaking once a week in dry weather if possible and cultivate as soon as ground is in good condition. However, Glads will endure lots of dry weather if planted in good soil and kept well cultivated. When cutting the flower spikes leave at least four leaves on the plant to mature the bulbs. Dig in fall when leaves have turned brown or after the first frost. Cure in partially shaded place a few days, then remove old bulbs and store in cool, frost-proof cellar in sacks or boxes not over four inches deep.

Can also supply fine mixtures; large bulbs grown from bulblets or small bulbs

Can also supply fine mixtures; large bulbs grown from bulblets or small bulbs at thirty-five cents per dozen, one hundred for two dollars and twenty-five cents. Small bulbs at one-half this price.

I also have a few bulbs of several other varieties. Write f what you want and I will quote you the price if I have the bulbs. Write for the prices on

Originator's abbreviations: (A.) Austin; (B.) Betscher; (C.) Coleman; (D.) Diener; (Dec.) Decorah; (E.) Errey; (F.) Fisher; (G.) Gravereau; (G. B.) Gladiolus Bill; (H.) Houdyshel; (Ho.) Holland; (K.) Kunderd; (Ke.) Kemp; (King.) Kingsley; (M.) Metzner; (Mil.) Miller; (P.) Pratt; (Pf.) Pfitzer; (Ph.) Phipps; (P. H.) (M.) Metzner; (Mil.) Miller; (P.) Pratt; (Pf.) Primulinus Hybrid; (S.) Sprague; (Z.) Zeestraten.

A. E. KUNDERD. (K.) Very strongly ruffled variety, tall and stately. A ra multiplier. In color the richest salmon rose, lighter towards the center throat with very beautiful markings on three lower petals.

Modium 8 Small 40 Published 150

Small 40 Large 4 Medium 8 \$1.25 ea. 65c ea. 30c ea. 12, \$1.00

ALLEN V. BUNCE. (G. B.) Livid orange-yellow with bright central line of claret. Very pretty.

ANNA EBERIUS. (D.) Deep rhodamine purple shading to very deep bordeaux.

Very pretty, fine spike. Small bulbs bloom well.

Large 1,100 Medium 1,300 Small 1,300 Bulblets 10 qts.

3,10c; 12,30c 12, 15c 25, 15c Qt., \$2.00

ANTHONY B. KUNDERD. (K.) Tall, large, intensely ruffled flower of delicate deep cream color. Over spread finest blush pink. Entire lower petals beautiful primrose cream flushed pink at edges.

Large 50 Medium 100 Small 75

BENGAL TIGER. (P.)

Large 50 Medium 100 Small 75 Bulblets 300 3.10c; 12,25c 6,15c; 12,20c 12, 15c Lot 25c

BENGAL TIGER. (P.) Large flowers of oriental coloring suggestive of the tiger's markings. A good grower, and a fine spike.

Large 75 Medium 175 Small 250 Bulblets 45 pt.

TY JOY. (G.B.) Soft creamy white, flushed La France pink. Strong grower, ong flower spikes with 6 to 10 perfect flowers opening at a time. Rated 97 as commercial flower. BETTY JOY. long flower

Bulblets 1,000 100, \$1.75 Medium 35 Small 175 Large 12

BIG BLACK. (K.) An extra large flower of very pure, rich, deep red, self color.

Very rich and showy. The best large dark red.

Large 12 Medium 50 Small 175 Builblets 1,000
100, \$1.75

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100, \$1.75

Builblets 1,000
100, \$1.75

Builblets 350

Large 12 Medium 50 Small 200 Buiblets 350 10c ea. 3, 15c 6, 15c Lot 75c Lot 75c EAK O' DAY. (G. B.) La France pink flushed over a cream ground, the pink deepening at edges. Zone of yellow on lower petals. Very early, of good size and a fast propagator. All small bulbs and some bulblets bloom first year

Small 100 Bulblets 12, 25c; 100, \$1.50 10c ea.

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CATHERINE COLEMAN. (C.) Very large clear salmon rose-pink with darker pencilings on lower petals. Many open at a time. A wonderful exhibition variety.

Large 18 Medium 8 Small 18 Bulblets 150
15c ea. 2, 15c Lot 70c Lot $2.00

COPPER BRONZE. (K.) (P.H.) A very striking copper bronze color. Very large flowers. Graceful in appearance as a vase flower. Unusual.

Large 10 Medium 20 Small 150 Bulblets 1,000

20c ea 15c ea 2, 15c 12, 35c
                        30c ea.
                                                                        15c ea.
                                                                                                                            2. 15c
                                                                                                                                                                                12, 35c
  CRIMSON GLOW. (B.)
                                                                          Very fine large crimson. Good open flower, and fine
             large spike.
                                                                        Medium 120
                                                                                                                            Small 25
                        Large 60
                                                                                                                                                                                Bulblets 11/2 qt.
                                                                       4, 10c
                                                                                                                            Lot 25c
 DON JUAN. (K.) Very large strong plant with extra fine pure salmon rose flowers of almost the same color as Marshal Foch, but very beautifully ruffled, and more open at a time. Beautifully flaked or tinted blue.

Large 50 Medium 40 Small 100 Bulblets 100
           Large 50 Medium 40 Small 100
10c ea. 2, 10c 6, 15c Lot 35c

F. E. BENNETT. (D.) Deep peach red overlaid with flame scarlet. Lip speckled ruby and white, most fiery red imaginable. Flowers of the very largest size with many openings at once. Exceptionally well placed on the stem.

Large 25 Medium 100 Small 160 Bulblets ½ pt.
2, 15c 6, 25c 100, 60c
 DR. F. E.
 Large 25 Medium 100
15c ea. 2, 15c 6, 25c

E. B. WILLIAMSON. (K.) (P. H.) Deep mallow purple.

Medium 25 Small 90 Bull
15c ea. 2, 15c 100,
15c ea. 2, 15c 100,
Tall, very strong plant and large blooms.
                                                                                                                                                                               Bulblets 500
                                                                                                                                                                               100, 40c
ms. A beautiful
            pure deep rose pink.

Large 300
4, 150. 10
                                                                                                                                                                               Bulblets 2 qts.
                       4, 15c; 12, 35c
 ELSYANNA. (G. B.) Extra good, tall lavender pink.

Large 14 Medium 18 Small 35 Bulblets 150
$1.25 ea. 60c ea. 30c ea. 12, 60c

EMLIE AUBRUM. (Lemoine.) Coppery bronze with cherry blotch. Extra large bloom, and a strong grower. Very distinct and unusual.

Large 15 Small 35 Bulblets 500
                                                                                                                           30c ea.
                                           (K.) Large ruffled creamy white. Very vigorous.

8 Medium 18 Small 50 I
2, 15c 3, 10c
 FERN KYLE.
                      Large 18
2, 25c
                                                                                                                                                                              Bulblets 200
GERALDINE FARRAR. (D.) Pale lavender violet with deep violet spot on the lip. Unlike the blue varieties, the growth is very strong and vigorous. Awarded first prize as the best blue at the A. G. Show, 1923.

Large 14 Medium 12 Small 50 Bulblets 100
                                                                      50c ea.
                                                                                                                          20c ea.
 GERTRUDE ERREY. (E.) An exquisite shade of shell pink on the outer part of the flower, shading to almost white in center, with a spot of deeper color in throat. Large flowers graceful in form and well placed on tall spikes.
                                                                                                                        Small 15
                                                                       Medium 6
                                                                                                                                                                              Bulblets 150
GIANT NYMPH. (C.) La France pink with creamy yellow throat. Large wide open flowers and well arranged on the spike. Very popular as it deserves to be.

Large 270 Medium 300 Small 300 Bulblets 1½ qts.
2, 10c 4, 10c 6, 10c 100, 30c

GLADDIE BOY. (G.B.) Color very distinctive, the general effect being a grenadine pink blending into straw yellow deep in the center.

Large 20 Medium 40 Small 125 Bulblets 350

50c ea. 25c ea. 2, 25c 12, 50c

GLORIANA. (B.) Fine large rich salmon with creamy throat.
                      Large 75
GOFF'S GOLDEN DREAM. Has made good as the best tall yellow. Color bright yellow like Souvenir and a better grower than Golden Measure. It is the best yellow for exhibition. A good hardy glad. Fine for cut flowers.

Large 5 Medium 50 Small 50 Bulblets 700
Large 5 Medium 50 Small 50 Bulblets 700 $2.00 ea. $1.00 ea. 50c ea. 6,$1.00; 100,$12.00 GOLD EAGLE. (A.) Sure to be a leader soon. Blooms good size and a deep, rich, pure yellow. Flowers of good substance, nicely ruffled and very resistant to heat. Extra early, prolific and in every way a tribute to Mrs. Austin's skill.

Large 4 Medium 6 Small 6 Bulblets 150 $2.50 ea. $1.25 ea. 60c ea
Large 4 Medium 6 Small 6 Bulblets 150
$2.50 ea. $1.25 ea. 60c ea. 25c ea.

GOOD GRACIOUS. (M.) Pale pink blending to clear rose pink towards the outer edge of petals. Lower petals brilliant rose carmine. Petals are fluted and of thick and leathery texture. Flowers 5 to 6 inches.

Large 25 Medium 60 Small 125 Bulblets 350
25c ea. 2, 25c 4, 20c Lot 75c
           LEN PHIPPS. (Ph.) Deeper and brighter than W. H. Phipps. grower, with ten or more large blooms open at a time.

Large 1 Small 6 But
 HELEN PHIPPS.
                                                                                                                                                                                          Very strong
                                                                                                                                                                               Bulblets 60
                                                                                                                        $1.00 ea.
Strong grower.
Small 800
 $3.00
HENRY FORD. (D.) Dark velvety purple. Strong grower.

Large 150
2.15c; 12,60c
4.15c; 12,30c
HUMDINGER. (G.B.) Extra large, heavy, massive blooms of begonia rose flaked with scarlet. Beautiful throat markings of scarlet red. Flowers well expanded and large. Very pretty.

Large 15

Modium 20

Strong grower.

$1.00 ea. 30c ea.

Strong grower.

$1.25 per pt.

$1.25 per pt.

Flowers well expanded
                      $3.00
FORD.
HENRY
           and large. Ve
Large 15
                                                                       Medium 30
                                                                                                                          Small 70
                                                                                                                                                                               Bulblets 200
                                                                                                                                                                              Lot $2.50
                      40c ea.
                                                                       20c ea.
                                                                                                                           10c ea.
JEWELL. (Z.)
Large 25
                                            Tall pink with yellow throat.
                                                                                                                          Small 100
                                                                      (K.) A giant wonder red.

Medium 3 Small

35c ea.
JOHN T. McCUTCHEON. (K.)
                                                                                                                                                                               Lot $1.50
                      Large 6
                                                                                                                          Small 10
                                                                                                                                                                               Bulblets 125
                      65c ea.
 KUNDERD'S YELLOW WONDER. (K.) Early, tall, vigorous plant, and a very rapid multiplier. Flowers large, seven to eight open at a time. Almost butter-cup yellow, slightly deeper in throat without the least markings. Has every point of a perfect Gladiolus and is one of the finest yellows.
                                                                                                                            Small 15
                                                                                                                                                                              Bulblets 150
                                                                                                                            50c ea.
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LACINATUS. (K.) The originator says that this is a new type and that it is a beautiful rose pink. Petals lacinated and ruffled. A good seed bearer.

Large 4 Medium 30 Small 60 Bulblets 500 40c ea. 12,50c 40c ea. 20c ea. 10c ea. 12,50c

LONGFELLOW. (Dec.) A remarkable pink. Spike tall and straight, never crooking in the hottest sun.

Large 15
35c ea. Medium 40
25c ea.

LOS ANGELES. (H) The formula of the straight shows the straight of the straight shows the straight of the straight shows the straig (H.) ANGELES. The famous "Cut-and-Come-Again" Glad. Shrimp pink LOS tinted orange. Medium 20 2,15c Large 30 Small 90 Bulblets 700 15c ea. 100, 25c MARIE KUNDERD. (K.) A wonderful ruffled early white. An almost invisible soft pink line in the center of the lower petals. A good florist variety.

Medium 30 Small 100 Bulbletss 2-3 pt. 6, 15c 12, 15c Lot \$1.00

MARIETTA. (M.) A delicate shade of light salmon, beautifully blended with light orange, the lower petals shading to a bright burnt orange. A marvelous gladiolus of extra large size and splendid spike. Always admired and in great demand. Large 165 Medium 300 Small 600 Bulblets 1½ ots. 10c ea. 2, 10c 4, 10c Pt. \$1.25

MINUET. (C.) One of the real topnotchers. Fine, tall, well-built, strong, erect spike with large fine lavender blossoms well-placed and faced.

Large 1 Medium 4 Small 18 Bulblets 140 \$2.50 \$1.25 ea. 65c ea. 12.8200 \$2.50 \$1.25 ea. 65c ea. 12, \$2.00 RY JANE. (K.) Named in honor of the originator's mother. A beautiful silvery pink with light lavender sheen. Delicate, clear throat and many large perfectly placed flowers open at a time. Has won many prizes at large Gladiolus shows. MARY JANE. Large 4 Medium 8 Small 25 Bulblets 150 \$2.50 ea. \$1.50 ea. 75c ea. 5,\$1.00

RSHAL FOCH. (K.) One of the finest ruffled salmon pink. Good spike and many flowers open at a time.

Large 40 Medium 75 Small 150 Bulblets 400 MARSHAL Small 150 Large 40 Medium 75 Small 150 Bulblets 400
2, 15c 4, 15c 12, 20c Lot 50c

MING TOY. (K.) (P.H.) Tall plant, large flowers, finest form. A good one and not hooded. Showy buff flowers with yellow throat.

Large 300 Medium 100 Small 125 Bulblets 2 qt.
2, 15c 4, 15c 12, 20c Pt. \$1.00 Bulblets 2 qt. Pt. \$1.00 Large 300 Medium 100 Smail 125 Bulblets 2 qt. 2, 15c 4, 15c 12, 20c Pt. \$1.00

MRS. VAN KONYNENBURG. (Ho.) An extra fine light blue. Strong grower.

Small 15 Bulblets 60
\$1.00 ea. 4, \$1.00

MRS. F. C. PETERS. (F.) Beautiful shade of rose lilac, with crimson blotch bordered white on lower petals, large flowers, good spike and many open at a time a time. Large 500 Small 1,350 12, 20c Bulblets 5 qt. Medium 700 2, 15c 4, 15c 12, 20c Pt. \$1.25

MRS. JOHN S. WOODS. (M.) A wonder flower; very large and tall, the flowers open six or more at a time. The color is brilliant coral, the lower petals gradually blending from salmon into a scarlet tone mingled with sulphur.

Medium 90 Small 100 Bulblets 800 2, 10c 6, 15c 100, 25c 2,10c 6,15c 100,25c

MRS. LEON DOUGLAS. (D.) Ground color begonia rose, striped with flame and scarlet. Lip pale lemon, slightly speckled with ruby. Flowers and spike extra striped with flame and large. Small 600 Medium 350 Large 180 Bulblets 1½ ats. 2,15c 4,15c 12,20c Pt. \$1.00

S. P. W. SISSON. (C.) A very beautiful clear cameo pink. Tall, strong spike, very large flower, and many open at a time. Winner of the Sisson cash prize and A. G. S. first-class certificate. Pt. \$1.00 nk. Tall, strong Medium 6 Small 36 \$2.50 ea. \$1.25 ea. 65c ea. 12, \$1.75 ORANGE QUEEN. (H.) Beautiful copper-orange Prim of good size. Small 90 2, 15c Medium 25 Bulblets 300 15c ea. 25,25cPEARL OF CALIFORNIA. (King.) Soft La France pink, blending to rosy throat. Many immense flowers open at once on a very tall spike. For wonderful Glad with a great future and well worth propagating.

Medium 10 Small 8 Bulblets 1 g to rosy white spike. A most Medium 10 Small 8 Bulblets 110 \$2.50 ea. \$1.50 ea. 4.\$1.00

PHAEOMEN. (Pf.) Soft salmon rose blending to creamy throat. Large blooms, very attractive and early. Small 20 Bulblets 175 25c ea. 12,50c PFITZER'S TRIUMPH. (Pf.) Very large salmon-orange with small velvet-red blotch. A real worth while Glad. One of the very best.

Medium 20 Small 20 Bulblets 325 \$1.75 ea. \$1.00 ea. 5, \$1.00 CADILLY. (G. B.) Pure cream yellow with amber throat. Wonderful strong spikes with many large flowers open at a time. This is one of Bill's finest, and rates 98 by Gersdorff.

Large 15 Medium 25 PICCADILLY. PINK CLOUD. (K.) A large, distinct, showy ruffled variety. Usually seven to nine beautiful, soft rose pink blossoms open at a time. A very beautiful deeper rose throat. Medium 25 10c ea. Bulblets 200 Small 4 Large 20 20c ea. 10c ea. 2,10c 12,20c

THIA. (K.) A gigantic red with many massive blooms wide open at a time.

A good spike. Published 1 ct. PYTHIA. Large 300 Pt. \$1.25 Small 140 Medium 250 12.20c4, 15c RPLE GLORY. (K.) A giant of the Kunderdii race, deepest velvety maroon-red with almost black blotches like burned into the petals. Nicely ruffled. A prize winner.

Large 100 Medium 125 Small 130 Bulblets 5-6 qt. PURPLE GLORY. (K.) Small 130 4, 15c 2, 15c

HARD DIENER. (D.) Pure geranium pink with a slight sprinkling of ruby on a creamy yellow center. Acme of perfection in coloring. Large flowers, many open at a time and creates a sensation wherever shown.

Large 180 Medium 80 Small 300 Bulblets 1,500 10c ea. 2,10c 4,10c 100,25c RICHARD DIENER. 2.10c (K.) Medium tall, very large, most brilliant deep riet. A wonderful showy self color.

Medium 100 Small 175 Bulblets 1,200 BERT J. KUNDERD. (K. vermilion or orange scarlet. Large 40 Medium 100 2, 25c 4, 25c 6, 20c 100, 40c E ASH. (D.) Corinthian red, shading into ashes of roses on the outer edges. Lower petais light yellow speckled with ruby. Flowers large and well-placed. Large 80 Medium 300 Small 500 Bulblets 1½ qt. ROSE ASH. FFOLACE. (Ke.) A pure white ruffled and lacinated. Large bloom, vigorous grower, and a really worth while Glad worthy of any high-class collection.

Large 4 Medium 1 Small 8 Bulblets 60 \$2.50 ea. \$1.50 75c ea. 25c ea. RUFFOLACE. SCARLET PRINCEPS. (K.) Six or more massive "Princeps" like open at a time. Throat a little deep. A fine bright red. Medium 175 Bulblets 34 qt. Large 50 Small 150 12, 20c Lot \$1.00 2,15c4,15c SHEILA'S SISTER. (C.) An extra good glowing creamy salmon. and early. Small 175 12,20c Large 35 Medium 100 Bulblets 2, 15c 4,15cSNOW GLORY. (K.) Of purest all-white with only slight clear iris blue lines on lower petals, very large and showy. A wonder flower and winner of many awards. Intensely ruffled. Small 65 Medium 36 Large 25 40c ea. 20c ea. 10c ea. 12, 35c

SONNERBERG. (G. B.) Massive spikes of creamy pink, lightly flaked with lavender pink. The pink shade melts to a soft yellow throat. Magnificent for exhibition or cut flower purposes.

Large 12 Medium 18 \$1.00 ea. Bulblets 175 Small 40 \$2.00 ea. \$1.00 ea. \$50c ea. 12, \$1.50

SOUVENIR, (G.) Pure golden yellow primlinus. The most perfect flowering gladiolus of the purest golden yellow color. It grows and multiplies rapidly Large 75 Medium 130 Small 100 Bulblets ¾ qt. 2, 10c 4. 10c 12 15a perfect flowering Lot \$1.00 4, 10c 12, 15c 2, 10c SULPHUR GLOW. (K.) A beautiful shade of sulphur yellow. Many well-expanded, intensely ruffled flowers open at a time.

Large 30 Medium 60 Small 150 Bulblets 1 pt. 4, 15**c** 12, 20c Lot 75c 2, 15c 1BLOR. (K.) A giant Grandiflora Primulinus. Tall, graceful spike, five and six blooms open at a time. Color wonderful; clear salmon-red, deeper towards outer edge of petals. Throat of purest soft creamy white. Elegant.

Large 4 Medium 30 Small 40 Bulblets 600 TEMBLOR. (K.) 2, 25c 4, 25c 12, 25c C ARISTOCRAT. (G.B.) This is an aristocrat among the hundreds of new ones. Large, strong, massive spikes of most delicate coloring. A pale saffron pink flaked deep orange with cream throat and a very distinct violet feather. Slightly ruffled and extra large, several flowers open at a time.

Large 30 Medium 50 Small 60 Bulblets 200 50c ea. 25c ea. 2, 25c 12,50c; 100, \$4.00 THE ARISTOCRAT. ORCHID. (S.) A decided novelty or new departure in Glads. Lavender pink upon a pale flushed frosted surface. Edges beautifully lacinated and ruffled. Resembles a beautiful orchid. THE ORCHID. \$1.00 ea. \$1.00 TWILIGHT. 2, 10c 4, 10c 12, 15c
TYCKO ZANG. (A.) Very large salmon pink. Strong grower.

Medium 6 Small 100 Lot \$1.25 Bulblets 500 2, 25c 25, 25cW. H. PHIPPS. (D.) A wonderful Glad. Most of the large spike in bloom at one time, and the blossoms are large and beautiful, of iridescent pink.

Large 10 Medium 20 Small 80 Bulblets 250 2, 25c 25c ea. WM. G. BADGER. (M.) A delicate coral, edged with darker coral tones, throat pale yellow, sprinkled dark coral on the lower petals. Very tall spike, large flowers and many open at a time.

Large 15 Medium 25 Small 50 Bulblets 400 15c ea. ruffled. shell pink with golden ochre
0 Small 175
2, 15c WM. KENT. (D.) Large e creamy sl Medium 50 e center. N Bulblets 200 Nicely

If you will send me the names and addresses of your flower loving friends when you order bulbs, I will include extra free bulbs for your trouble.

15, 25c

15c ea.

We also have Mastodon strawberry plants for sale. This is a new variety of strawberry which was introduced a few years ago and we have the genuine stock. This variety has been greatly advertised by nearly all plant growers and seems to be a success wherever planted. The plant is very thrifty, grows large, has a fine root system and fruit is at least twice as large as other varieties of everbearing strawberries. The leaves are very large which protects the fruit from the sun.

Prices on Mastodon everbearing strawberry plants: Prepaid, 50 plants, \$1.50; 100 plants, \$2.40; 1,000 plants, \$18.00.